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THEATRE ROYAL

On WEDNESDAY next, will be presented the Comedy of

LOVE MAKES A MAN;

OR

THE FOP's FORTUNE.

Carlos, Mr WOODS.
Don Lewis (alias Don Choleric Snapihorto de Tesly) Mr JOHNSON;
Antonio, Mr Sparks; Charino, Mr Kelly; Sancho, Mr Hallion; Monsieur, Mr James; Don Duart, Mr Bell; Governor, Mr Simpson; Jaques, Mr J. Bland; Page, Mr Bland, junior; Pedro, Mr Banks;
And Clodio (alias Don Dismallo Thickscallo de Halfwitto) Mr WARD.

Louisa, Mrs BURDEN;
Elvira, Mrs WOODS;
Honoria, Mrs TANNETT;
And Angelina, Mrs WALCOT.

To which will be added, a New Pantomime Entertainment, in Grotesque Characters, (Second Time) called The

POWER OF MAGIC;

OR, THE

INSPIRATION OF HARLEQUIN.

The Scenes, Machines, Dresses, and Decorations entirely new.

Harlequin, Mr BANKS;
Pantaloon, Mr Sparks; Clown, Mr Hallion;
Lover, Mr Sutherland; Cobler, Mr Simpson;
And Mother Shipton, (with Songs, in character) Mr FOWLER.
Pantaloon's Wife, Mrs Mountfort; Dairy Maid, Mrs Charteris;
Baker's Lass, Mrs Mills; Fishwoman, Mr Bland jun.;
And Columbine, Mrs Tannett.

A Pastoral Duet, by Mr TANNETT and Miss FARREN, in the characters of Haymakers.

In the course of the Pantomime, amongst several other grand pieces of Machinery, is a Representation of

A SHIP LAUNCHING;

An exact View of

THE INSIDE OF A COAL-PIT:

And to conclude with a Grand Prospect of

G I B R A L T A R.

Ending with the celebrated Naval song, written in honour of the glorious defeat given to the enemies Britain upon the 12th of April, by our victorious Admiral

LORD RODNEY;

To be sung by Mr BELL, in the character of NEPTUNE; accompanied by a full Chorus.

THE BRETHREN of the ANCIENT LODGE of EDINBURGH ST MARY'S CHAPEL, at their last Monthly Meeting, ordered a

Funeral Lodge,

To the Memory of their worthy and Worshipful Brother,

George Syme, Esq;

Sometime Master of the Lodge, lately deceased,

To be held on *Friday* next, the 24th instant, in Mary's Chapel, Niddry's Wynd, at *half past six o'clock* in the evening; where the Brethren are requested to attend, in Mourning suitable to the occasion.

JAMES TORRY Merchant,

EXCHANGE EDINBURGH,

TAKES the liberty to inform the Public, his friends and Customers, That he is just returned from London, and some of the chief manufacturing towns in England, where he has been for some time, and has brought from thence a very new and extensive collection of the different articles of Mens Mercery. This assortment has been made with the utmost care and attention in regard to quality, fashion, and variety; and, he humbly flatters himself, is amongst the most complete that has been offered in this country.

In gratitude to the Public, whose past favours he has so liberally shared, and which he begs leave most sincerely to acknowledge, every article, *it may be depended on*, will be sold for the very lowest prices at which they can possibly be afforded in this country.

PUBLIC DISPENSARY OF EDINBURGH.

THE General Meeting of Contributors to the PUBLIC DISPENSARY, for the annual Election of Managers, is to be held on Saturday the 25th of January, at two o'clock afternoon, in the Hall of the Dispensary, in Richmond-street.

A particular state of the funds of the Dispensary, and its effects since the last annual report, will then be laid before the contributors; but, for the information of such as do not attend, it may not be improper to mention, that from examining the records of the practice at this charitable establishment, it appears, that one thousand and twenty-six patients have been admitted to the benefits of it during the course of last year.

General State of Dispensary Patients since the commencement of that Charity.

In the year 1777 the number of Patients amounted to		275
1778		511
1779		505
1780		774
1781		994
1782		1026
Total,		4085

SALE OF CHINA, SILVER PLATE, AND LINEN.

TO be SOLD, by public roup, within that large room immediately above Mr Schythe's Upholstery Ware-room, first fore-stair below Bridge Street, Edinburgh,

A Valuable Collection of Fine Old CHINA, in which are sundry articles rarely to be had: Also, a Quantity of SILVER PLATE, and BED and TABLE LINENS, and some other articles of Table Furniture.

To begin to-morrow the 21st instant, at ten o'clock forenoon, and to continue till all is sold.

Not to be repeated.

ROUP OF WOOD IN KINCARDINESHIRE.

TO be SOLD, by roup, at the House of Glenbervie, upon Monday the 10th day of February next, between the hours of 11 and 12 in the forenoon, the whole FIR WOOD growing in the planting of Falside, being in number about 14,000 Trees.—This Wood, which lies about three miles from Stonhive, where the same can be shipped, is to be exposed altogether in one lot; and the purchaser will be allowed a reasonable time for cutting down and carrying off the same: and the price will be made payable at different periods, for the accommodation of the purchaser, upon his finding caution to the satisfaction of the exposer.

At same time and place, and upon the two following days, there will be sold by roup, in small lots, a very large quantity of Old Ash, Plane, Elm, Beech, and Birch Trees, growing about the House of Glenbervie, whereof credit will also be given to purchasers for some months after the roup, upon their finding cautioners for the amount of their purchases.

The Wood will be shown by James Gillespie, gardener, at Glenbervie, to any person intending to purchase, and the articles of roup may be seen in the hands of William Baillie, writer in Montrose.

ARMY.

TO be SOLD, at the regulated Price of 400 l. An ENSIGNCY in the FIFTY-FIRST Regiment of Foot, lately returned from Minorca, and quartered in Yorkshire. A reasonable time will be allowed, if required, for payment of the whole or part of the purchase money, on proper security.

For particulars, apply to Charles Marsh, Esq; Reading, Berkshire; or to Captain Gregor Farquharson, at Mr Lawrie's, York buildings, London.

A FULL BLOOD MARE to be SOLD, four years old, rising five, of a grey colour. To be seen at the Riding School. And also a certificate of her age and pedigree will be shown by the groom, who is empowered to sell her.

HOUSE IN ST ANDREW'S SQUARE.

TO BE SOLD,

THAT Large, Elegant, and Commodious HOUSE on the south side of St Andrew's Square, presently possessed by the Earl of Selkirk, with the Garden thereto adjoining, and Coach-house, and Stable, containing stalls for six *horses*, opposite to the garden.—Enquire at Mr Wight the proprietor, No. 16 Prince's-street.

TO THE PUBLIC.

THE Company which carried on the DILIGENCE that travelled betwixt Edinburgh and Glasgow by the south road, and set out from William Paterson's, Pleasance, Edinburgh, of which Company Duncan M'Farlane late inn keeper at the Pleasance, Edinburgh, was a partner, being dissolved upon the 20th December last, the said Diligence is now carried on by Messrs. *Hugh Cameron*, Edinburgh; *Nicolson*, Mid-Calder; *Fleming*, New-House; and *Herron*, Glasgow; and sets off from the said Hugh Cameron's, head of the Cowgate, Edinburgh, every lawful day of the week, at eight o'clock in the morning, and from Mr Herrons, at the Bull-Inn, Glasgow, every morning, at the same hour.——The Diligence carries three passengers; and a full ticket is ten shillings and sixpence Sterling, and so in proportion.

The Public may depend upon good horses and careful drivers; also good usage at the different stages.

Tickets to be had at the said Hugh Cameron's, Edinburgh, and Mr Herron's, Glasgow.

N. B. The Dumfries and Carlisle Diligences set out from the said Hugh Cameron's three times a-week, as usual.

The Edinburgh and Dumfries Diligence.

IS now removed from Mr JOHN CAMERON'S, White Hart Inn, Grass-Market, to WILLIAM WALLACE'S, George Inn, Bristo Port, and continues to set out on the Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday, at four o'clock in the morning, as usual; and from Mr CLINT'S, King's Arms Inn, Dumfries, at the same hour. Each passenger to pay 1 l. Sterling, and to be allowed 8 lib. of luggage; all above to pay three halfpence per lib. Good conveyance for Boxes, Parcels, &c. which will be delivered immediately on the arrival of the Diligence.

N. B. The proprietor will not be accountable for any goods or parcels sent by the Diligence above 5 l. Sterling.

At a Meeting of Gentlemen, real proprietors of Land in the county of Moray, held at Forres, Jan. 9. 1783.

MAJOR DUFF, PRESES.

THE Meeting took into their consideration the sketches of the Two Bills transmitted to them from the General Meeting at Edinburgh; and are of opinion, that the right of voting should be attached to the property *only*, whether holding of the Crown or a subject. That the qualification should be reduced to 200 l. Scots, and be the same for the *elector* and *elected*. That the election laws put on, they think it unnecessary to discriminate betwixt *votes in property and liferent rights*, it unnecessary *votes of fees of superiority, or naked superiorities in fee*, as they think the whole in a greater or lesser degree, tends to produce the abuses they wish to have redressed. If there was a probability of carrying it through, the Meeting would readily give into the scheme of compelling superiors to sell at an equal price; but if the right of voting is affixed to property alone, it seems a matter of small concern.

COUNTY OF INVERNESS.

January 7. 1783.

AT a General Meeting of the Commissioners of Supply, and other Heritors of this County, held at Inverness on the 7th current, in consequence of circular letters from their Convener, there was laid before them draughts of two bills intended to be brought into Parliament, for correcting the Laws respecting the Qualifications of Freeholders in that part of Great Britain called Scotland;—which having been read, and carefully considered by the Meeting, they were unanimously of opinion,

Primo, That either of these bills, if paſed into a law, would tend greatly to remove many of the evils complained of.

Secundo, That this end would be more effectually obtained, if, in the qualifications of a Voter, [illegible] and *Superiority* were inseparably conjoined, except where the feu duty stands valued in the ceſs-books, to the extent requisite to establish a qualification, which should be two hundred pounds Scots, as being nearly on a footing with a forty-mailing land of old extent.

Tertio, That however desirable it may be to the community at large, and to the present vassals or subjects superior in particular, to have qualifications depend upon property alone, or to force superiors to denude of their superiorities in favour of their vassals, reserving to themselves the feu-duties; yet the Meeting were apprehensive, that such a clause might involve in it a question of right, and leads to a species of new tenure in this country, which may afford a handle to those who incline to oppose the bill, to create difficulties that may endanger its success.

Quarto, That if superiority is reduced to its intrinsic value, independent of its present effect in the election of a member of Parliament, it will necessarily happen, that in process of time, superiors will voluntarily denude of their superiorities in favour of their vassals; which, by our present law, superiors even of entailed estates are enabled to do upon their vassals, paying them an adequat consideration.

Quinto, The Meeting hereby authorise the Committee formerly named by the General Meeting of the first of October last, or any two of them, to subscribe in their name any petition to be presented to Parliament on this subject.

There was also laid before this Meeting, heads of a bill respecting the intended application to Parliament for a Constitutional Defence in that part of Great Britain called Scotland; which having been carefully considered by them, they humbly suggested a few alterations in certain clauses of said bill, which the state of his county seemed more particularly to require. But in every other respect, the Meeting unanimously approved of said bill, and appointed their Preses to transmit their proposed alterations to the Right Honourable the Earl of Glencairn, and further directed this minute to be inserted in the Edinburgh newspapers.

Signed by the appointment of the Meeting, by

ALEXR. CHISHOLM, Preses.

LEASE TO BE DISPOSED OF.

A LEASE for ten years, of the Mansion-house, Office houses, Garden, Pigeon-house, and Farm of MIDDLETOWN, in the parish of Uphall, and sheriffdom of Linlithgow, is to be disposed of. The Farm consists of above 20 Scots acres inclosed, and in the highest order. Proper repairs have been lately made on the house and office-houses, the pigeon-house is well stocked, and there is a valuable stock of manure ready for use.

Any person inclining to treat for the purchase of this lease, may see it in the hands of Mr Thomas Macdonal, clerk to the signet, who has power to conclude a bargain.

At LONDON—— for LEITH,

THE POMONA,

MICHAEL MARSHALL for WILLIAM MARSHALL, Commander,

Mounting 8 guns, and men answerable,

Is now loading at Hawley's Wharf for Edinburgh, and the adjacent places, and will sail the 30th instant, with or without convoy; is a fast sailer, and has good accommodation for passengers.

For freight or passage apply to the Commander on the Scots Walk, Royal Exchange, or at the New-England Coffeehouse, Treadneedle-street, by the Exchange.

N. B. It is entreated, That all merchants and shippers of goods who intend to favour this ship, will give their direct orders for the Pomona, to avoid mistakes.

GEORGE TOMLINSON,

Late of the KINGSTON'S-ARMS INN, NEWARK,

BEGS leave to return his sincere thanks to the Nobility, Gentry, &c. who have honoured him with their favours heretofore; and, at the same time, respectfully informs them, he has removed his POST CHAISE and HORSES, from the Kingston's Arms, to the Ram Inn in Newark, where he humbly solicits their future countenance; as he assures them, every exertion in his power will be used to make the NEW POST HOUSE eligible and agreeable

TERMS, FREE FROM DUTY:	s.	d.
Chaise and Four, per mile,	1	3
Ditto and Pair,	0	9
Saddle Horses,	0	3

The Ram Inn is situated upon the great north road, opposite the Castle. The Newcastle and Carlisle Coaches, north and south, arrive at the above Inn every day, Sunday excepted; also, the Leeds, York, and Newcastle Diligences every day.

DALMUIR BLEACHFIELD,

Six miles west from Glasgow, for 1783.

EDWARD COLLINS lays down Cloth as soon as the weather permits. The prices of Bleaching are as follow, viz.

All Plain Linen, yard-broad, or under, wrought in any reed below 1000, at 2 d. per yard; 10 and 1100, 2½ d.; 12 and 1300, 3 d.; 14 and 1500, 3½ d.; all above 1560, 4 d. Tweelings, Diapers, Satinets not exceeding yard-broad, 3½ d.; Long Lawn and Cambrick, 3 d.; and all above yard-broad in proportion.

The Cloth that was formerly taken in at Edinburgh by the lately deceased J. Rankenreed-maker, is now taken in by W. Anderson, at the shop of James Grant and Co. West Bow;—at Falkirk, by Tho. Duncanson, merchant;—at Bathgate, by James Weir, merchant;—at Stirling, by William Brown merchant;—at Alloa, by Matthew Brydie, merchant; at Paisley, by Alexander Weir, bookseller;—at Crawford's Dyke, by Mrs Edmund, merchant;—at Port Glasgow, by Miss Baily;—at Lanark, by Mrs Young;—at Biggar, by John Black, merchant;—at Ayr, by William Mitchell, merchant;—at Glasgow, by James Donaldson, senior;—and at the Field, by Edward Collins, paper-maker. At all which places receipts will be granted for the Cloth; the receipt to be returned when the Cloth is called for.

N. B. No Cloth taken in for the above Field exceeding 30 yards in one piece. The Cloth will be delivered at the aforesaid places, where it was received, all stamped and lapped. Two pence per piece charged for stamping and lapping.

HOUSES AND BAKEHOUSE,

IN EDINBURGH AND PLEASANCE, TO SELL,

o'clock afternoon,

I. That LODGING or DWELLING-HOUSE, being the fourth storey of that large tenement at the head of Libberton's Wynd, fronting the High-street, presently possessed by the Misses Preston, with the Garrets belonging thereto. The house consists of four rooms, two closets, (one of which contains a bed,) kitchen, larder, and other conveniencies; and the rent of it, when lately let, was 18 l. The garret consists of three apartments, and rents at 5 l.

II. A DWELLING-HOUSE, being the second storey of that tenement near the foot of the Pleasance, consisting of three rooms, kitchen, and closets, possessed by Robert Tait shoemaker, at 7 l. of rent; with a garret room let at 1 l. 5 s. And,

III. The RIGHT and BENEFIT of a TACK of the first storey of ground-flat of said last-mentioned tenement, of which there are forty-one years to run from Whitsunday last; and the yearly rent payable by it being 6 l. 10 s. This house consists of one room and kitchen, a baking house, oven, and shop; and is presently possessed by Richard Robertson. Rent 10 l. The surplus rent is thus 3 l. 10 s.

The two laft lots will be fold together or feparately.

The premiſes will be ſhown by the preſent poſſeſſors every lawful day, from twelve to three o'clock.

The progrefs of writs, and conditions of ſale, may be ſeen in the hands of [illegible] writer to the ſignet, Hanover-ſtreet; to whom thoſe inclining to purchaſe may apply for a bargain.

ON Wednesday next, the 22d current, at Waukmill, near Dunfermline, there will be SOLD by public roup under authority of the Sheriff of Fife, for payment of a Debt due to the Crown.

A complete set of DISTILLING UTENSILS,

particularly one Singling Still, containing 400 gallons, one Doubling ditto, of 115 gallons; a large Steel Mill, &c. At the same time will also be sold, some Corn and Fodder, and articles of Household Furniture; being the property of Robert Marshall, late distiller at Waukmill.

The roup to begin at 11 o'clock forenoon.

George Luke, excise-officer at Waukmill, will show the particulars intended to be roupted.

BY ADJOURNMENT.

TO be SOLD, by public roup, within John's Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 30th of January current, betwixt the hours of five and six afternoon,

The HOUSE and SMITH's SHOP, with the

Yard adjoining thereto, on the south side of the road leading by the back of the Canongate, possessed by Mr James Clark ferrier at the Repository, on a tack current till Whitsunday 1793, at the yearly rent of L. 13 0 0

The DWELLING HOUSE, Stables, Shades, and Area on the other side of the road from Mr Clark's possession at the back of the Canongate, possessed by Mr Peter Ramsay stabler, on a tack current till Whitsunday 1793, at the yearly rent of 33 0 0

ALSO, at the Head of the Pleasance, the Following SUBJECTS, paying the yearly feu-duties aftermentioned, viz.

The Park called *Eastfield*, or *Hunter's Park*, L.	49	0 6
Robert Murray's Tenement of Land,	3	11 6
Joseph Mack ditto,	2	18 4
William Walker ditto,	1	12 0
	37	1 10

L. 103 1 10

The articles of roup, and title-deeds are to be seen in the hands of Hugh Corrie writer to the signet, to whom any person intending to make a private bargain may apply.

From the LONDON GAZETTE, *Jan.* 14.

War-Office, January 11, 1783.

2d Regiment of dragoon guards, Gavin Hamilton, Gent. to be Surgeon, vice Henry Bowers.

3d Regiment of dragoons, Charles Pye, Gent. to be Cornet, vice John Parslow.

7th Regiment of dragoons, Cornet Frederick William Wollaston, to be Lieutenant, vice Richard Gorges. John Edgar, Gent. to be Cornet, vice Frederick William Wollaston.

22d Regiment of dragoons, Cornet John Enery, to be Lieutenant, vice Douglas Smith.

21ſt Regiment of foot, Second Lieutenant, Burnie Browne, to be firſt Lieutenant, vice Robert Burnet.

26th Regiment of foot, Enſign Sir William Cockburn, Bart. to be Lieutenant, vice Robert Crauford. John Crauford, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Sir William Cockburn.

36th Regiment of foot, Captain John Cruickſhanks, of the 94th regiment, to be Captain of a company, vice Richard Fleming. Captain Andrew Wright, of the 92d regiment, to be Captain of a company, vice Philip Haſte.

45th Regiment of foot, Lieutenant Duncan Campbell, of the 2d battalion of the 1ſt foot, to be Captain of a company, vice William Snowe.

46th Regiment of foot, Lieutenant John Bellaers, to be Captain of a company, vice John Lloyd.

47th Regiment of foot, Enſign Guſtavus Moore, to be Lieutenant, vice Henry Baldwin. Charles Baldwin, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Guſtavus Moore.

52d Regiment of foot, Enſign William Bathurſt Pye, to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas Randall.

55th Regiment of foot, Lieutenant Daniel Paterſon, of the 49th regiment, to be Captain of a company, vice Honourable Henry Brodrick.

68th Regiment of foot, Enſign Benjamin Roch, to be Lieutenant, vice ——— Dunroche.

79th Regiment of foot, Lieutenant Charles Merry, of the 87th regiment, to be Captain of a company, vice Bannaſtre Tarleton.

81ſt Regiment of foot, Enſign James Forteſcue, to be Lieutenant, vice Lachlan M'Lean. Robert M'Lachlan, Gent. to be Enſign, vice James Forteſcue. Enſign Walter Riddell, of the 51ſt regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Gregor Farquharſon. Enſign George Harriſon Reade, to be Lieutenant, vice James Leith. Enſign Pierce Moore, to be Lieutenant, vice William Burnet. Enſign Charles Stewart, to be Lieutenant, vice Charles Baillie. Lieutenant F. G. Bowens, of the 103 regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice John Roſs, jun.

83d Regiment of foot, Captain James Stanley, of Major Whitefield's corps of infantry, to be Captain of a company, vice Herbert Whitefield.

86th Regiment of foot, Captain-Lieutenant Thomas Flucker, to be Captain of a company, vice John Earl of Chatham. Lieutenant James Robinſon, of the 83d regiment, to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Thomas Flucker.

92d Regiment of foot, Captain Philip Haſte, of the 36th regiment, to be Captain of a company, vice Andrew Wright.

93d Regiment of foot, Enſign George Wade, from Iriſh half-pay, to be Enſign, vice Francis Delap Halliday.

94th Regiment of foot, Captain Richard Fleming, of the 36th regiment, to be Captain of a company, vice John Cruickſhanks.

95th Regiment of foot, John Campbell, Gent. to be Enſign, vice ——— Harpur.

99th Regiment of foot, Cumberland Campbell, Gent. to be Enſign, vice James Williamſon.

104th Regiment of foot, Serjeant-Major ——— Gibbons, to be Adjutant, vice James Dodd.

Major Dalrymple's corps of foot, Enſign Morton Dalrymple, to be Lieutenant, vice William Harpur.

Major Herbert Whitfield, Captain of the 83d regiment, to be Captain of a company in a corps of infantry, of which he is Major-Commandant, vice James Stanley.

Earl of Faucónberg's regiment of foot, Captain Timothy Mackarell, to be Major, vice Robert Paul. Captain-Lieutenant William Marwood, to be Captain of a company, vice Timothy Mackarell. Lieutenant Chriſtopher Goulſon, to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice William Marwood. Enſign John Doherty, to be Lieutenant, vice Chriſtopher Adams, of the 101ſt regiment. Thomas Jones, of the 102d regiment.

To be Colonel in America only. Lieutenant Colonel Francis Gabriel De Ruviſnes.

To be Majors in the army. Captains George Charleton, Edward Whitmore, George Grove, of the artillery, John Murray of the 83d regiment.

To be Major in the Weſt-Indies only. Captain James Wood of the artillery.

War-Office, January 14, 1783.

1ſt Regiment of dragoons, George Ramſden, Gent. to be Cornet, vice Thomas Mallie.

2d Regiment of foot, Lieutenant Thomas Parry Jones, to be Captain of a company, vice the Hon. Thomas Fane. Enſign George F. Hodgſon, to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas Parry Jones.

8th Regiment of foot, Enſign Thomas Grant, of the 100th regiment, to be Enſign in one of the additional companies, vice William Armſtrong.

9th Regiment of foot, Lieutenant James Fitzgerald, of the 98th regiment, to be Lieutenant in one of the additional companies, vice Joſeph Fiſh.

20th Regiment of foot, Lieutenant Joſeph Brook, of the 100th regiment, to be Lieutenant in one of the additional companies, vice Daniel O'Meara.

24th Regiment of foot, Cornet Thomas Mackie, of the 1ſt dragoons, to be Enſign, vice [illegible] Enſign William Edward Leybourne, to be Lieutenant, vice Charles Johnſton.

27th Regiment of foot, Captain-Lieutenant Ebenezer Vavaſor, to be Captain of a company, vice Samuel Waring. Lieutenant Eyre Coote, to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Ebenezer Vavaſor. Enſign John Gordon, to be Lieutenant, vice Eyre Coote. John Brown, Gent. to be Enſign, vice John Gordon.

42d Regiment of foot, 2d battalion, Kenneth M'Kenzie, Gent. to be Enſign, vice ——— Sutherland. Enſign Alexander M'Donald, to be Lieutenant, vice ——— Grant. Ronald Cameron, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Alexander M'Donald. ——— Keith, Gent. to be Enſign, vice John Murray Robertſon.

45th Regiment of foot, Lieutenant Charles Greville, of the 4th foot, to be Captain of a company, vice James Samuel Engell.

65th Regiment of foot, Lieutenant Farman Cloſe, to be Captain of a company, vice John Watſon. Enſign ——— Chriſtian, to be Lieutenant, vice Farman Coote.

81ſt Regiment of foot, Quarter-Maſter James Evermy to be Adjutant, vice William Duncan. Serjeant-Major ——— Gunn, of the 66th regiment, to be Quarter-Maſter, vice James Evermy.

83d Regiment of foot, Enſign John Gilfillan to be Lieutenant, vice David Carnie. James Ferguſon, Gent. to be Enſign, vice John Gilfillan.

98th Regiment of foot, Enſign Charles Anderſon, to be Lieutenant, vice Lewis Borthwick. ——— Young, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Charles Anderſon. Captain-Lieutenant William Kelſo, to be Captain of a company, vice Jonathan Brecknock. Lieutenant John Grattan, to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice William Kelſo. Enſign William Armſtrong, of the 8th foot, to be Lieutenant, vice John Grattan. Enſign James Black, to be Lieutenant, vice Edward Fitzgerald. ——— Paterſon, Gent. to be Enſign, vice James Black. Lieutenant Daniel O'Meara, of the 20th foot, to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice John Grattan.

99th Regiment of foot, Lieutenant Lewis Urquhart, of the 95th regiment, to be Captain of a company, vice Alexander Grant.

100th regiment of foot, Enſign Joſeph Brooke to be Lieutenant, vice William John Hinſt. ——— M'Intire, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Joſeph Brooke. Captain-Lieutenant John George Hodſon to be Captain of a company, vice Patrick Hagenet. Lieutenant Joſeph Fiſh, of the 9th foot, to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice John George Hodſon. ——— Rowes, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Thomas Grant. Captain-Lieutenant John Grattan, of the 98th regiment, to be Captain of a company, vice Colin M'Enzie. Enſign Donald M'Enzie to be Lieutenant, vice Joſeph Brooke. ——— Finnan, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Donald M'Enzie. Surgeon's mate ——— Briſcoe, to be Surgeon, vice Duncan Campbell.

104th regiment of foot, Enſign Richard St George to be Lieutenant, vice J. Delap Halliday. Enſign John Symmers to be Lieutenant, vice John Crutchon.

Major Syme's corps of foot, Captain Arthur Blake, from half pay in the late 100th regiment, to be Captain of a company, vice John Pringle.

William Kitt, Gent. to be Enſign in Captain the Honourable ——— Cranſtoune's Independent company of foot, vice J. Montague Clarke.

Captain Nicholas Ottendorf to be Captain of an independent company. John Falvi, Gent. to be Enſign in the ſaid company.

From the London Papers, Jan. 16.

LONDON.

This day at one o'clock a mail arrived expreſs from Jamaica at the General Poſt-Office, which was brought to Falmouth in his Majeſty's packet boat the Grantham, Capt. Bull. The Grantham ſailed the 2d of December, and has had a fine paſſage of ſix weeks. We do not hear ſhe brings any particular news, further than an account of the continuance of the warlike preparations carrying on at the Havannah and St Domingo, where they are in expectation of a very powerful armament from Europe. The fleet for Europe was not to ſail till further orders, which rendered the time very uncertain; but it is expected to be the latter end of the preſent month, under convoy of two ſail of the line.

The following ſhips were arrived ſafe from Europe, viz. the Jamaica, Capt. Carr, from Glaſgow; Viper, Cowell, from Liverpool; and Cæſar, Nelſon, from Briſtol.

The order for all veſſels coming from Gibraltar to perform quarantine, does not proceed from any diſorder that reigns there, but on account of its being a port occaſionally viſited by veſſels from all parts of Turkey and the Levant.

All the ſhips of war that went to the relief of Gibraltar, are ſmoked and waſhed with vinegar, by order of the Admiralty.

Yeſterday morning Lord Mountſtuart and the Sardinian Ambaſſador were cloſetted with his Majeſty a conſiderable time at St James's.

The following account from Gibraltar is an undoubted fact: "On the 16th of December, in the night, the Spaniards, to the amount of eight hundred men, with much vigilance and circumſpection, had left the camp at St Roch, and chiſſeled their way through the rock, till they were advanced in a hollow way, under a kind of precipice, and when they got thus far ſcooped out a ſubterraneous paſſage for a lodgment till they could get more time, but, on the ſubſequent night, one of the outpoſt centries, belonging to the garriſon, diſcovered the enemy in this poſition, and immediately alarmed the Britiſh troops. In this ſituation the Spaniſh ſoldiers were the next morning, without being able to advance or retreat; and though the garriſon cannot get at them, they are continually throwing hand-grenades, and other preparations of the like kind, to prevent their getting off, notwithſtanding which they ſcal out in the night time; but it is ſuppoſed not leſs than two hundred were killed and wounded the firſt night after the diſcovery."—This account is brought by Captain Saunders, of an ordnance tranſport, which was captured. He left Gibraltar the 20th of December laſt.

Though we are once more diſappointed of the *ultimatum* which was expected yeſterday, the hopes of a peace prevails again, and the State Barometer, the ſtocks, are riſing, ſo as to indicate fair weather to the commerce of this country, which our correſpondent does not doubt will thrive, in ſpite of any commercial treaties that may have been entered into between France and [illegible] ſaid, that the terms of peace [illegible] agreed upon with each of the powers at war, except France. Should the tardineſs of that Court impede the bleſſings of peace much longer, it may operate very differently to the expectations of his Gallic Majeſty.

One of the Admiralty meſſengers was diſpatched laſt night from the Admiralty to Portſmouth, with the final orders relative to the ſailing of the fleets.

Orders were this day ſent from the Admiralty, for finally compleating the ſtowage of proviſions, ſmall beer, &c. in the ſhips now lying there, for the ſuppoſed expedition to the Weſt-Indies.

Lord Cornwallis is certainly to have the command in the Eaſt-Indies, and is to embark for that ſtation in a few weeks. Colonel Tarleton is to accompany him, and to have the command of two corps of 500 men each, one cavalry, the other infantry.

The Adamant, with her convoy from Charleſtown, is hourly looked for to arrive in the Downs, and will certainly bring an account of the evacuation, or non-evacuation of that place.

When the laſt letters came from America, there were no ſhips of the line left in thoſe ſeas, the whole fleet having ſailed for the Weſt-Indies; in conſequence of which, great apprehenſions were entertained of the capture of the troops coming from Charleſtown; but we hear from good authority, that the troops had not then embarked, nor were likely ſo to do, until a proper convoy arrived; and that the veſſels, ſaid to have ſailed, contained the Loyaliſts only, who wiſhed to retire from thence.

The Americans are by no means ſatisfied with the declaration of their independence as propoſed by the Engliſh Miniſtry. This extends only to the Thirteen Colonies, whereas Congreſs ſtrongly contend that Canada ſhould be included, to which Spain puts a ſtrong negative, and the adjuſtment of this point is at preſent one of the greateſt obſtacles to a peace.

There are at preſent three prevailing parties in America, under the denominations of the Whigs, the Yellow Whigs, and the Tories.

A gentleman yeſterday at a coffee-houſe by the 'Change, obſerved to a member of Parliament, that the Dutch, in the time of peace, were ſupplied with coals from England much cheaper than the people were in London; and that as government wanted money, he thought a duty laid on all coals exported, might bring in a conſiderable ſum to the revenue yearly. The member thanked him for the hint, and declared that he would move for leave to bring in a bill, to lay a duty of five ſhillings a chaldron on all coals exported, which he thought would be a means of taking the taxes off of ſome neceſſaries the poor make uſe of.

Extract of a letter from Leghorn, via Bruſſels, Dec. 14.

"A Neapolitan reſident arrived here from Toulon, the maſter of which adviſes, that ſeven French men of war, from Cadiz, entered that port the 16th of laſt month, two of which are three-deckers, and they were all diſmantled directly to repair.

"At the ſame port, they are building on the ſtocks five capital ſhips, one of 110, two of 80, and two of 74 guns; one of the 80 gun ſhips will be ready to launch next ſummer. None of the others are forward."

Extract of a letter from the Hague.

"For ſome weeks paſt, couriers have been continually paſſing between the States and the Court of Verſailles, the particulars of which, however, have not yet tranſpired, though the tenor of them is generally reported to be very far from amicable. The people of the different provinces are unanimous in their wiſhes for an accommodation of differences with England, from their commercial intercourſes with whom they derive greater advantages in one month, than from France and Spain together in ſix.

Extract of a letter from Cork, Dec. 30.

"On Wedneſday morning laſt, two troopers belonging to his Majeſty's 9th regiment of light dragoons, quartered at Mallow, having had ſome diſpute, retired (each accompanied by a friend) to decide the matter in an honourable way, when, after two ſhots fired on each ſide, the friends interfered, but this proving fruitleſs, a third ſhot was fired, when one of the dragoons was killed on the ſpot, the ball having entered in under the right arm-pit. The Coroner's Inqueſt ſat on the body, and brought in a verdict of *manſlaughter*."

Extract of a letter from St Mary's, Scilly, Jan. 15.

"This morning came in the Lapwing privateer, in a very ſhattered condition, and has brought in with her a French privateer of 16 ſix and nine pounders. The prize is a mere wreck, having no maſt ſtanding, and being very leaky. The engagement between her and the Lapwing laſted, at cloſe quarters, near two glaſſes, during which the French had eight men killed and 14 wounded, four of whom are ſince dead. The Lapwing had ſeven men killed, and 15 wounded, three of whom died of their wounds ſoon after. The privateer belongs to Dunkirk, and is called the Martia."

PRICE OF STOCKS, JAN. 16.

Bank Stock, 123½.	3 per cent. Old Ann. —
4 per cent. Ann. 1777, 78¼ a ⅜.	Ditto New Ann. ſhut.
3 per cent. con. ſhut. 62⅝ a ¾ ex div.	Ditto 1751, —
	India Stock, —
3 per cent. red 63.	3 per cent. Ann. —
3 per cent. 1726, ſhut.	India Bonds 10 a 7 diſc.
Long Ann. ſhut. 18¾ a 5-16ths ex div.	Exch. Bills, 10 diſc.
	Navy Bills, 13¾ a ½ diſc.
Short Ann. 1778, ſhut. 12 15-16ths a 13 ex div.	3 per cent. Scrip. —
	Omnium, —
South Sea Stock, ſhut.	Prizes, 1¾ a ⅝ diſc.

EXCHANGES, LONDON WITH HOLLAND.

Amſterdam, 35 10.	Agio of the Bank from Holland, 5¼.
Ditto Sight, 35 6.	
Rotterdam, 36 2½ U.	

WIND AT DEAL,

JAN. 15. W.

PRICES OF CORN AT CORN EXCHANGE, JAN. 15.

Wheat, 35 s. a 53 s.	Beans, 27 s. a 29 s.
Barley, 20 s. a 33 s.	Tick Beans, 24 s. a 26 s.
Rye, 32 s. a 35 s.	Tares, 26 s. a 28 s.
Oats, 18 s. a 25 s.	Rape Seed, —
Pale Malt, 40 s. a 43 s. 6 d.	Per Sack.
Amber ditto, 41 s. a 43 s.	Fine Flour, 45 s.
Peaſe, 28 s. a 31 s.	Second Sort, 44 s.
Hog ditto, 28 s. a 29 s.	Third ſort, 28 s. a 30 s.

EDINBURGH.

[The London Poſt did not arrive till half paſt Five o'clock.]

Extract of a letter from London, January 16.

"By ſecret advices from France, we are informed, that it is the general intention of our enemies to make a deſcent on Hull, Portſmouth, and Plymouth, if poſſible, at nightly the ſame period; for, by this manœuvre, they expect, that our forces, by being drawn together for the purpoſe of defending that which is of the moſt importance, and appears to be in the greateſt danger, will leave the other two places an eaſy conqueſt to their invading depredations. But we ſhould rather think this report was only one of their political feints, to incline our Miniſtry to keep our naval forces ſtationed at home, while the Spaniards laid ſiege again to Gibraltar, and the French to thoſe Weſt India iſlands, which might fall a prey to their naval attacks.

"We are favoured with a letter from Cadiz, by which we learn, that never was there a more vigorous exertion made for a naval equipment than at the preſent moment. The ſecret talk is there, that the Duke de Crillion is to take the command of their fleet, which is there preparing with ſo much avidity and celerity, in order to give the Ruſſian and Portugueze fleet a meeting, ſhould they attempt to paſs into the Mediterranean. The ſquadron he is to have, it is ſaid, will conſiſt of twenty ſeven ſail of the line, beſides frigates, fireſhips, &c.

"We hear that the embargo which has been laid on all privateers, is merely for the purpoſe of employing the veſſels as tranſports, and their men as ſailors in the naval expedition for which Government have been preparing, ever ſince they underſtood the ſenſe of the nation with reſpect to peace. They no ſooner heard of the patriotic pulſe which was experienced on the firſt day of this ſeſſion, than they turned their immediate thoughts to warlike, and not to peaceful preparations. Every port was under Government controul. Traders and privateers were ſtayed in their deſtinations. The yards poured out their artificers and ſtores for naval equipments, which has produced the appearance of a force ſufficient to withſtand the united efforts of France and Spain, formidable indeed to the preparations of Great Britain, great as they are allowed to be. But, however, ſeeing what we have ſeen ſince the commencement of this war, this is not a period for Britiſh timidity. We have done wonders; wonders may be done.

"This day, the converſation in the Stock Exchange Coffee-houſe turned wholly on the idea that peace was certain; but it was added, that the Miniſter meant to adjourn the meeting of Parliament on Tueſday next for eight days more, by the end of which time, it was confidently ſaid, that Government would be able to tell the Public, with ſome certainty, what they had to depend upon. It is to be kept in mind, that the above is the news from Stock Exchange."

Wedneſday, at the General Quarter Seſſions at Newcaſtle, the Grand Jury certified the price of grain as follows:—Wheat, per buſhel, (Winchester meaſure) 6s. 9d. Rye 5s. Barley 3s. 4d. Malt 5s. 4d. Oats 2s. 7d. White Peas 4s. 6d. Grey Peas 4s. Beans 4s. 6d.

Same day, at the ſeſſions for Morpeth, the Grand Jury certified the price of grain as follows: Wheat per quarter (Winchester meaſure) 2l. 10s. Oats 17s. Barley 1l. 8s. Rye 2l. 2s. Beans 2l. Peas 2l. 2s.

Wedneſday, being the Twenty-day fair at Glaſgow, or the firſt of their weekly horſe markets, there was a middling good ſhew of horſes; but few ſold, excepting good young horſes fit for carriages or the ſaddle.

Whimſical as the following circumſtance may appear, it is an abſolute fact:—A carter from Oldham returning from Manchester market in the evening, ſtopped at a public houſe on the

d to get some refreshment. While he was in the house two
e went to plunder his cart, and seeing a packsheet, thought
n the substance within it must be bacon: They presently
it on their shoulders; and hurried away; when lo! after
velling awhile, the contents of the packsheet made resistance,
d bawled out lustily; upon which they flung down their
ize, and made off as fast as they could. The matter was, the
iver had got some person in his cart that was stupidly drunk,
d wrapped him up in the packsheet to preserve him from the
eather. Being carried in that manner, waked him, and find-
g himself in such a strange situation, he very naturally cried
t. It may, however, be an useful hint to carters, not to
ve their charge without some person to watch.

On Sunday the 5th of January inst. died at Birmingham, of
cancer in her tongue, Mrs Jarvis, who had some months be-
re predicted that she would die on Old Christmas-day.—The
y preceding her death she sent for her relations, and distri-
ted most of her cash and effects amongst them, informing
em, at the same time, that she should die the next day.—The
ext morning she gave the necessary directions (having previ-
ally provided clean sheets, &c.) to the person who attended
er, for laying her out.—She first ordered her to put her poc-
ets, that contained her keys, &c. under the lower part of her
ack; then placing her arms, &c. had the counterpane and
lankets taken off, and the sheet pinned close at the bottom;
t the girl not stretching her arm to her liking, she seemed
ngry, calling her a little brimstone, and ordered her to pull it
raight, and in a few minutes after expired.—However strange
he above story may appear, we can vouch for its authenticity.
Birmingham Gazette.

Extract of a letter from Glasgow, Jan. 16.

"Notwithstanding the many complaints as to scarcity of
rain, and a doubt how wholesome seed may be got provided to
ow the ground for the ensuing crop, we can assure the Public,
hat there has arrived in Carron river, within these few days
ast, and that there is at present aboard vessels in that river,
nd on the Canal, coming to this city, from 7 to 8000 bolls of
rain of different kinds, and as much is expected in a week or
wo hence, if winds are favourable to bring forward the vessels;
nd whatever others opinion are, it is certain that there will
ot be a scarcity, and that the country will get proper supply
oth for maintenance and seed.

Extract of a letter from Cork, Jan. 9.

"Monday last, the Revenge revenue cutter, Mr Charles
Colman, was chased from the Seven Heads to the Old Head
of Kinsale, by a bright-sided cutter, carrying 16 guns, supposed
to be French, who fired six of her carriage guns, and kept up
a continual fire with small arms and grape shot, at about two
hundred yards distance from the Revenge; but perceiving three
sail coming on, the enemy thought proper to sheer off. She
would not shew any colours."

An extract of a letter from Youghall, dated Jan. 7. says,
"On the morning of the 3d instant, the Fortune of London,
Captain Mortimer, was drove on shore in a gale of wind in
Ardmore Bay, near this town. She sailed from St Lucia some
time in November. Her cargo consists chiefly of cotton and
sugar; but unluckily was taken the 28th of December by the
Dreadnought cutter, Captain Peteet, belonging to Dunkirk,
after two hours engagement, in which the Frenchman had three
men killed and five wounded. The crew, which consisted of
11 Frenchmen, immediately gave themselves up, and were ye-
sterday sent to Cork, under a party of the Youghall cavalry.

"It is somewhat extraordinary, there was no Englishman
on board when the Fortune stranded; nor would the captors
give a satisfactory answer whether any were left on board when
they had left her.—I believe most of the cargo will be saved."

Extract of a letter from Dublin, Jan. 15.

"From the abuses lately brought to light in the Barrack
Board, a new mode of payment has been adopted. This ap-
pears to have been planned by Earl Temple, as it is to be tra-
ced in his Excellency's own hand writing, and is such as to
preclude the possibility of plunder or defalcation. The money,
instead of passing as heretofore, through the griping hand of a
Treasurer, subject to discount of poundage, and other innumera-
ble demands, attended with a ruinous delay, is to be issued by
a draft, payable at the Treasury, and checked by a tally, kept
for that purpose, so as to form a complete system of expendi-
ture, clear and satisfactory, for the inspection of the Commis-
sioners of Accounts.

"They write from Germany, that the Emperor is so atten-
tive to the reformation and improvement of the customs of this
country, as to dedicate many hours in study and conversation
with his ministers. The promotion of commerce and substan-
tial regulations, engages most of his concern, though he is no
enemy to the public arts, and other scientific refinements.

"Monday night the Right Hon. the Lord Mayor gave a
most superb supper and ball at the Mansion-house. Their Ex-
cellencies Lord and Lady Temple, attired in clothes the ma-
nufacture of this city, honoured the entertainment with their
presence, as did a number of the nobility of the first rank and
fashion in this kingdom. Our worthy chief magistrate not on-
ly gives the utmost attention and vigilance to the various and
important duties of his high office, but displays a festive magni-
ficence and hospitality, that preserves the dignity, and reflects
great honour on the citizens of Dublin."

For the CALEDONIAN MERCURY.

To the Memory of M-CH-L R-TCH-E, *a deceased Friend.*

I.

THE dewy-dropping friendly tear
No efforts can suppress,
Whilst I attend thy mournful bier
In sadness and distress.

II.

Thou wast, my friend, an ornament
To this desponding age;
Now gone—the Muses may lament
Their unadorned page.

III.

For thee they wove a laurel'd crown
To deck thy graceful brow;
But, ere its radiance could be known,
Pale Death had laid thee low.

IV.

The dart he wantonly did aim,
Where grace and genius shone,
He struck—ere you could hardly claim
The age of twenty-one.

V.

When youth and vigour thus with speed
Are hurried off the stage,
Ye *grey-hair'd sires*, with reason dread
The frailty of your age.

VI.

Each virtue that adorns the mind
Could not my MEATO save;
By sickness worn, to Death resign'd,
He sunk into the grave!

VII.

Ye gay companions of his youth,
To whom his worth was known,
Dry up your tears, and know, for truth,
We all must follow soon.

VIII.

But how shall we, mean time, employ
The thoughtful, vacant hour,
Which oft with him we've spent in joy,
Without a word impure?

IX.

How oft by Letha's limpid stream
We pleasantly did roam,
Revolving many a curious theme,
Nor griev'd our length from home.

X.

And, wand'ring 'mongst the rural fields,
Did we not still rejoice,
'Midst all the pleasures nature yields,
To hear his chearing voice?

XI.

But cease thy song, my plaintive Muse,
Made mournful by the theme,
Nor comfort wilfully refuse,
Since Nature—all's a dream!

XII.

And though you grieve for MEATO's loss,
'Tis impious to repine,
Or more disturb his silent corse,
By weeping at his shrine.

XIII.

His *genius* since you must respect,
Be emulous to attain;
His *virtues* studiously select,
And make their merit thine.

L. A.

We are much obliged to the Author of the EDILE, *for his second favour; and are extremely sorry, on account of its great length, it will be impossible to find room for it, though it contains a review of one night's performance only, not of the whole week, as was promised. It would, besides, give room to such a number of answers, replies, and rejoinders, as, if inserted, would leave room in the paper for little else. Whatever strictures are offered on the Theatre, we beg may be short, and pertinent. We shall be happy to hear from this Gentleman on these terms.*

We are still obliged to stay ZENO's FOURTH LETTER *to the* CITIZENS OF EDINBURGH.

LEITH SHIPPING.

ARRIVED,

Jan. 20. Swift, Herald, from Stromness, with herrings, &c.
Fortune, Inne, from Thurso, with goods.
John, Robertson, from St David's, with coals.

SAILED,

De Adrians, Raal, for Ostend, with lead.

SEALOCK SHIPPING.

ARRIVED,

Jan. 14. Rosamond, Bown, from Stockton, with oats.
15. Helen, Higgins, from Alemouth, with ditto.
16. Lovely Jane, Sorley, with barley and rye.
Janet, Anderson, with ditto and oats.
17. Peggy, Wilson, from Cramond, with red iron.
Brothers, Higins, from Perth, with wheat.
Glasgow, Shaw, from Borrowstounness, with sundries.
Borrowstounness, Burges, from ditto for Glasgow, with sundries.
18. Concord, Freeman, from Dundee, with flour and linen.
Brothers, Higgens, from Perth, with wheat.
Borrowstounness, Cumming, from Borrowstounness, for Glasgow.
Friends Endeavour, Hutton, from Dundee, with wheat.

SAILED,

16. Martha, Walker, for Alloa, with soap ashes.
17. Alexander and James, Simpson, for Leith, with iron.
18. Peggy and Jessie, Burnet, for Culross, in ballast.
19. Janet, Livingston, for Cramond, ditto.
Ferret, Richardson, for Lynn, with coals.
Endeavour, Stoker, for Yarmouth, ditto.

GREENOCK SHIPPING.

SAILED,

Jan. 14. Favourite, Campbell, for Belfast, with coals.
15. Nancy, Roger, for Antigua, with goods from Port Glasgow.
Jan. 14. Favourite, Campbell, for Belfast, with coals.
15. Nancy, Roger, for Antigua, with goods.
Jean, Macarthur, for Liverpool, with ditto.
16. Peggy, Maclauchlan, for Belfast, with ditto.
Peggy, Munn, for Dublin, with ditto.
Martha, Dean, for Waterford, with ditto.
Eolus, Tarbert, for Jamaica, with ditto.
Essex, Spence, for Cork with herrings.
Janet, Macilroy, for ditto, with ditto.
Cumbrae cutter, Crawford, on a cruize.
17. Vriendschap, Janson, for St Thomas with goods.

NEW PRINTS,

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A work upon which the Ladies may rely for authenticity and accuracy, representing the most fashionable dress worn by Ladies of Rank and Taste; elegantly engraved on three copperplates, two inches by seven, price 7s. containing the Full Dress, the Half Dress, and a variety of Head Dresses, all most beautifully coloured, with a copious explanation.

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THE FIRST PART OF

THE BARATARIAN INQUEST.

Dedicated to Sir WILLIAM DRAPER, K. B.

☞ The Public has fancied a strong resemblance between the matter of this Work, and the Trial of General M——y. It is supposed Don Veterano de Tesly means that Gentleman, and that El Caballero means Sir W. D——r, and so on as to the other characters, &c.

The Second Part, with a Key, is expected in a few days.

Edin. Jan. 25. 1783.

BY Virtue of the power given in the act of the last session of Parliament, entitled "An act for preventing the slaughtering of Cattle "within the City of Edinburgh;" we hereby appoint a Meeting of the Commissioners named in the said act to be held in the Goldsmith's Hall, on Monday next the 27th day of January current, at eleven o'clock forenoon, at which time and place the said Commissioners are requested to attend.

JOHN GRIEVE.
WILLIAM FORBES.

MEETING OF CREDITORS.

A MEETING of the Creditors of the Honourable ROBERT ARBUTHNOT, and JOHN ARBUTHNOT, is to be held within the Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 29th January current, at one o'clock afternoon, in order to take into consideration the state of their affairs, and a plan to be proposed for the satisfaction of the Creditors, who, it is hoped, will therefore attend by themselves or their doers properly authorised.

In the mean time, notes of their debts may be sent to Thomas Macdonald clerk to the signet.

NOTICE to the CREDITORS of GILBERT JACKSON in Dochernie, in the county of Ayr,

WHEREAS the trustees on the sequestrated estate of the said Gilbert Jackson have nearly converted the whole of his funds into cash, and as they are soon to make a division thereof, they therefore request the whole creditors of the bankrupt to lodge their grounds of debt and diligence against him, with oaths of verity thereon, in the hands of Alexander Smith writer in Ayr, on or before the first day of February next, certifying those who fail, they will be cut off from any share in said division.

NOTICE

To the Creditors of the deceased ALEXANDER CUNNYNGHAME, of Lathrisk, Clerk to the Signet.

THE Trustees appointed by Mr Cunynghame having converted the greatest part of his real and personal estate into cash, and executed a deed of accession in favour of Mr Alexander Farquharson accountant in Edinburgh, which deed is also signed by most of the creditors, it is requested that those who have not yet signed will do so without delay, and that the creditors will lodge their grounds of debt, with affidavits on the verity, with Mr Farquarson, or Robert Stewart, writer in Edinburgh, with whom the deed of accession lies for execution.

NOTICE

To the CREDITORS of JAMES THOMSON, late Tenant in Ancrum, West Mains.

NOTWITHSTANDING repeated Advertisements, requiring the Creditors of the said James Thomson to lodge their claims, with oaths, upon the verity of their debts, in the hands of William Riddell, writer to the signet, the trustee, yet several have neglected so to do.—This notice is therefore given, to certify those who shall fail to lodge their claims, and oaths as aforesaid, betwixt and the 1st day of February next, in the hands of the said William Riddell, that a division of the funds now realised will take place, agreeable to the claims then given in and verified.

NOTICE.

THAT there are to be SOLD at Cantray, in the county of Inverness, just now or in the spring, several kinds of young thriving NURSERY viz. Larix, from four to seven years old; fine Spruce ditto; fine Lombardy Poplars, from four to six feet high; sweet Chesnuts; a great quantity of fine young thriving Ash and Beech.

N. B. All the above have been skilfully raised from the seed, and properly transplanted, for the proprietor's own use. There are no reasons for disposing of any, but having more than needful at present; so that they may be depended upon as good of their kinds.

TO be SOLD within the Exchange coffeehouse of Edinburgh, upon Tuesday the 11th day of February next to come, betwixt the hours of five and six o'clock afternoon,

I. That SHOP and BACK ROOM at the Cross of Edinburgh, presently possessed by John Stark snuff merchant, at the yearly rent of 14l. Sterling.

II. The LAIGH HOUSE immediately below the said shop, possessed by David Adamson, at the yearly rent of 10l. Sterling.

III. That HOUSE in the middle of the Luckenbooths, consisting of two rooms, possessed by Finlay M'Bane, at the yearly rent of 21. Sterling.

IV. That HOUSE at the Back of Bess Wynd, consisting of three rooms, a kitchen, and cellar, possessed by William Fleming, at the yearly rent of 4l. Sterling.

The progress of writs, and articles of sale, to be seen in the hands of William Anderson clerk to the signet.

A COUNTRY HOUSE, GARDEN, &c. to be SOLD:

TO be SOLD, and entered to immediately, a HOUSE in the Links of Leith, east from the Hermitage, possessed by the Countess of Lauderdale, with a convenient Garden, Coach-house, Stable, and other conveniencies: ALSO, a HOUSE, with Office-houses and Garden lying adjacent thereto on the south side thereof, presently possessed by Alexander Marr. The premises will be shown at any time by the servants in the house.

The progress of writs are to be seen in the hands of Mr John Robertson writer, Meal Market Stairs, Edinburgh, who is empowered to conclude a bargain.

FARMS IN ROXBURGH SHIRE TO LET,

And to be entered to at Whitsunday 1783.

THE Farm of WOOLLIE, and the Farm of BRAIDHAUGH, lying in the parish of Hobkirk, and county of Roxburgh: They consist both of arable and pasture land.

These Farms will be either let together or separately: But they suit one another for keeping old sheep and hogs; they will set best together.

The tenants of the land will shew the farms and marches.—For farther particulars apply to William Ogilvie Esq; at Brancholm, near Hawick, or to Cornelius Elliot, writer to the signet, Edinburgh.

PARMS IN PEEBLES SHIRE TO LET.

THE following Farms, part of the Barony of SKIRLING, lying in the parish of Skirling and county aforesaid:

The Farm of New House, presently possest by James Wilson.

The Farm of Loanhead, possest by James Whyte. And,

The Farm possest by James Plenderleith.

These Farms consist of croft, outfield, and meadow ground, and are partly inclosed; are well known to produce good grain, and the earliest in the county.

The Farm of New House has the public house in the town of Skirling belonging to it; and the different yearly fairs or markets in that town bring a considerable influence.

Mr James Henderson, factor for the Earl of Hyndford, at Kerhead or Cornelius Elliot, writer to the signet, Edinburgh, will inform as to other particulars, and receive proposals.

The baron-officer at Skirling will shew the Farms.

TO BE SOLD,

THE Lands and Estate of KIRKMICHAEL, with the Woods growing thereon, lying within the parishes of Kirkmichael and Tinwald, and sheriffdom of Dumfries. The present free rent of which, including the lands in the proprietor's natural possession, is above 1320l. Sterling.

The time and place of sale will be afterwards advertised.

For further particulars apply to the Earl of Carnwath, the proprietor, at Kirkmichael, or to Mr John Hay accomptant, or to John Tait, jun. writer to the signet, Edinburgh. Mr Hay has power to conclude a private bargain.

BREWERY and HOUSES in LEITH.

TO BE SOLD,

THAT Large Brewery, Malt-loft, Kiln, Copper, and Brewing Utenfils, good Dwelling-houfe and Garden, and fundry other fmall Houfes, lying in Leith, in that part called Lee's Quarter, all as poffeffed by Mrs Mitchell and Son, and their tenants: As alfo, a Piece of Ground, and Houfes built thereon, lying in the Links of Leith, as feued from William Mitchell merchant there.

Mrs Mitchell and Son will fhow the whole premiffes, and the title-deeds are to be feen in the hands of Andrew Halyburton writer to the fignet, one of the truftees for their creditors; with whom is alfo lodged the deed of accefſion to be ſigned by the creditors.

SALE OF A TAVERN IN EDINBURGH.

TO be SOLD, by public voluntary roup, within the Exchange Coffeehouſe of Edinburgh, upon Wedneſday the 22d day of January 1783, betwixt the hours of five and ſix afternoon,

That HOUSE or TAVERN at the head of the Anchor Cloſe, nearly oppoſite to the Croſs, formerly poſſeſſed by Francis Wares, and now by John Gordon, the preſent yearly rent whereof is only 22 l. 10 s. Sterling, though lately ſet at 32 l.; and, from its centrical ſituation, and other conveniencies, there is little doubt that it will draw a rent conſiderably higher than what it now yields.

The title-deeds, with the articles of roup, to be ſeen in the hands of Alexander Mackenzie writer to the ſignet, who is empowered to conclude a private bargain.

The Houſe may be ſeen at any time.

SALE OF A HOUSE AND OFFICES in Canongate.

To be SOLD, by public voluntary roup, within the Exchange Coffeehouſe, Edinburgh, on Thurſday the 23d day of January 1783, between the hours of five and ſix afternoon,

THAT LODGING or DWELLING-HOUSE with the Area, Stables, Hay-Lofts, and others, which belonged to William Hay of Newhall, now deceaſed, lying on the north ſide of the Canongate of Edinburgh, in the cloſe called "Straton's or Wilkie's Cloſe," a little below Crichton's Coach Yard, poſſeſſed by Mrs Roſs of Innerneithy, at the yearly rent of 25 l. Sterling. The upſet price whereof to be only 250 l. Sterling.

The title-deeds and articles of ſale may be ſeen in the hands of James Keay writer, Prince's Street, Edinburgh; to whom, or to Mr David Ruſſel accomptant in Edinburgh, any perſon inclining to purchaſe by private bargain may apply before the day of roup.

BY ADJOURNMENT, AND PRICES TO BE REDUCED.

TO be SOLD, by public voluntary roup, within John's Coffeehouſe in Edinburgh, on Tueſday the 28th of January curt. betwixt the hours of five and ſix afternoon,

The Six Merk Land of HOLM of DALSKARTH, and Four Fifth Parts contiguous thereto of the Six Merk Land of DRUNGANS, lying in the pariſh of Troqueer, and ſtewartry of Kirkcudbright, within three miles of Dumfries.

The ſituation of this eſtate is extremely beautiful. It contains about 500 Scots acres, of which above 50 acres are covered with wood, particularly old oak, to a very conſiderable value.

The Lands of Holm hold blench of the Crown, and the Lands of Drungans of a ſubject ſuperior. The teinds of both are valued. The upſet price of this eſtate is now 8000 l. Sterling.

AS ALSO, That Incloſure adjoining to the town of Dumfries called LARIPOTTS, conſiſting of about three acres of meadow ground, declared teind-free by decree of the commiſſion of teinds.——The upſet price to be 150 l.

The progreſs, rental, and a plan of the lands may be ſeen by applying to William Dick writer to the ſignet; and Mr Maxwell of Carruchan will give information as to any other particulars.

LANDS OF ADAMTOUN.

To be SOLD by public roup, within the Exchange Coffeehouſe, Edinburgh, on Wedneſday the 29th day of January curt. betwixt the hours of five and ſix afternoon,

THE Lands and Eſtate of ADAMTOUN, and Ten Acres or thereby of Land, part of the great meadow called SANQUHAR BOGUE, lying in the pariſhes of Monkton and St Ervox, and ſhire of Ayr, and within five miles of the boroughs of Irvine and Kilmarnock, and three of Ayr.

As alſo, The SUPERIORITY of Goldring, Crookſide, Hillhouſe, Ladykirk, and Ladylands; and the Patronage of the pariſh of Monkton.

The lands hold of the Crown, are of a very rich quality, lie exceedingly compact, and are properly incloſed and ſubdivided with ditches and hedges, which are in a thriving condition. The yearly value of the eſtate (valuing the lands in the proprietor's natural poſſeſſion at a reaſonable rate) is about 421 l. ſterling.

On the eſtate there are 40 acres natural wood, (not included in the above rental) which will ſoon be ready for cutting; beſides which, there are a conſiderable number of very old trees, properly diſpoſed around a commodious modern manſion-houſe, judiciouſly ſituated, and commanding an extenſive proſpect of a fertile and well-cultivated country, the frith of Clyde, iſland of Arran, and rock of Iſla; and, at a proper diſtance from the manſion-houſe, there is a very good kitchen garden and orchard, well ſtocked with fruit-trees of the beſt kinds.

For the encouragement of purchaſers, the eſtate will be expoſed at the upſet price of 8000 l. ſterling.

The progreſs of writs to the eſtate are perfectly clear, and may be ſeen in the hands of Thomas Adair clerk to the ſignet; to whom any intending to purchaſe may apply for further particulars.

SUNDRY FARMS TO LET.

THE following FARMS, lying in the pariſh and barony of Primroſe or Carrington, ſeven miles ſouth from Edinburgh, and three from Dalkeith, are to be LET; the entry to commence immediately.

I. The Farm of REDSIDE, containing 288 acres of arable land, all incloſed and divided by ſtone dykes, fenceible for ſheep, and which, for many years, have been in paſture, and in the occupation of the proprietor.

II. The Grounds at Primroſe, called the OLD INCLOSURES conſiſting of about 44 acres and upwards, divided into three incloſures, two of which are poſſeſſed by Mr Newbigging, and the other by Captain Chriſtie, having been in graſs for many years paſt.

III. The Farm of SHIELS of CAPELAW, with its mail garden, or orchard, all incloſed, in the occupation of the proprietor, and containing about 45 acres of arable land, wholly in paſture now.

IV. The Wauk or Fuller's Mill of Primroſe, with the Land, Houſes, Dying Copper, &c. lately poſſeſſed by Thomas Hall and Son; the entry to commence alſo immediately.

AS ALSO, There will be LET, the following Lands in the pariſh of Dalmeny, and ſhire of Linlithgow, ſeven miles weſt from Edinburgh,

The Lands of LEUCHOLD, containing about 123 acres of excellent land, ſufficiently fenced, and divided into ſeven incloſures by ſunk fences faced with ſtone. As alſo, part of the incloſed grounds adjoining thereto, and lying from thence to Dalmeny, along the weſt ſide of the turnpike-road ſouthwards to Dolphington-bridge, containing 205 acres and upwards of as fine rich land as is in that country.

Theſe grounds in the pariſh of Dalmeny are propoſed to be let in one or two farms, with houſes, &c. &c. as may be agreed on. They are now and have been many years in paſture, but may be let for tillage, particularly the grounds of Dalmeny, if parties can agree on the terms and rent, which will be high, as the lands are valuable, *i. e.* from 30 s. to 50 s. per acre on leaſe.

The ſalmon, trout, and ſmelt or ſperling fiſhery in Cramond water, from the bridge to the loweſt ebb of the ſea, will be let on reaſonable terms to real fiſhers who mean to live by the buſineſs.

The lands in the barony of Primroſe will be ſhown by Alexander Tweedie at Primroſe; and the lands at Leuchold and Dalmeny by Mr Melvill at Leuchold-houſe, near Queensferry. And, for further particulars perſons intending to offer may apply to Mr Mitchelſon, jun. Nicolſon's ſtreet, Edinburgh, who has power to let the ſaid farms.

HOUSES IN EDINBURGH.

TO be expoſed to SALE, by public roup, within the Britiſh Coffeehouſe, upon Tueſday the 21ſt of January 1783, at ſix o'clock in the afternoon,

THE FOLLOWING SUBJECTS:

I. That LODGING in Gavinloch's Land, oppoſite the head of Forreſter's Wynd, being the ſixth ſtorey above the ſhops, conſiſting of eight fire-rooms, with kitchen, cellars, and other conveniencies, let in two ſeparate houſes, and poſſeſſed by Mr Graham and Peter Robertſon.

II. Another HOUSE, being the uppermoſt ſtorey of the tenement lying on the north ſide of the High Street, entering by a fore-ſtair within the ſtrait of the Netherbow, and conſiſting of two fire-rooms, with a kitchen, poſſeſſed by David Farquharſon.

For further particulars, enquire at John Moir writer to the ſignet.

FLOUR, MEAL, AND MALT MILL.

TO be LET by public roup for ſeven years, from and after the term of Whitſunday next, within the tolbooth of Innerkeithing, upon the firſt Friday of February next, being the 7th day of that month, betwixt the hours of eleven and twelve forenoon,

The FLOUR MEAL MILL, and MALT MILL of Innerkeithing, all lately built and finiſhed in the beſt manner, and large Loft above ſaid mills, with the aſtricted multures thereof, and graſs ground belonging thereto, as preſently poſſeſſed by John Strachan tenant thereof, belonging to the town of Innerkeithing, lying near the harbour of ſaid burgh.

As alſo to be rouped ſaid day, the SEA WARE growing round the harbour of Innerkeithing, for cutting and burning into kelp.

The articles and conditions of roup to be ſeen at the Town Clerk's Office.

JUDICIAL SALE, BY ADJOURNMENT.

TO be SOLD, by authority of the Court of Seſſion, upon Tueſday the 21ſt of January 1783, betwixt the hours of four and ſix afternoon, in the Parliament Houſe, Edinburgh, before the Lord Ordinary on the bills,

The Following SUBJECTS belonging to GEORGE CHALMERS of Pittencrieff,

LOT I.

The WHOLE COLLIERIES and IRON STONE under the Lands of Pittencrieff, Luſcar, Clune, Weſter Baldridge, and others, in the county of Fife, now or lately belonging to the ſaid George Chalmers, with all the privileges thereto belonging, but with ſundry exceptions and reſtrictions, as are all more particularly deſcribed in former advertiſements, and the articles of ſale, together with a FEU of the Farm of Weſter Roſyth, and harbour of Brucehaven, and alſo the TACKS of the Lands of Windielaw, and minister of Innerkeithing's Glebe during his incumbency, which are adjoining to Weſter Roſyth.

This Lot was formerly ſet up at 5800 l, and is now, for the encouragement of purchaſers, to be expoſed at 5300 l.

LOT II.

A TACK of the Farm of HILTON, in the Barony of Roſyth, for twenty-five years after Martinmas 1782, formerly ſet up at 170 l. and for the encouragement of purchaſers, to be expoſed now at 150 l.

LOT III.

The following PARCELS of the Lands of HERMITAGE, in the pariſh of South Leith, viz.

1. Robert Watt's late Feu, conſiſting of about 3 acres 26 falls, and on which there are ſeveral new houſes built; groſs rent 23 l. 14 s. 9 d.; feu-duty to the Trinity Hoſpital, valuing barley at 12 s. 6 d. per boll, 5 l. 1 s. 3 d.; free rent 18 l. 13 s. 5 d.

Proven value of this parcel, and at which it was ſet up formerly,	L. 280
To be expoſed now at the reduced price of	250

2. James Aliſon's late Feu, a Garden, with a large new houſe thereon, containing about 4 acres, 1 rood, 6½ falls; groſs rent 34 l. 10 s. 2 d.; feu-duty, converting the barley as above, 7 l. 7 s. 3 d. free rent 27 l. 2 s. 10 d.

The proven value, and at which it it was ſet up formerly,	420
To be expoſed now at the reduced price of	365

3. William Wright's feu, a nurſery containing five acres; groſs rent 26 l. 5 s.; feu-duty 5 l. 12 s. 1 d.; free rent 20 l. 12 s. 11 d.

Proven value at which it was ſet up formerly,	350
To be expoſed now at the reduced price of	310

N.B. There is a very copious ſpring of water in the center of this lot.

The title-deeds, rentals, and plans of the eſtate, with the articles and conditions of ſale, will be ſeen in the hands of Meſſ. John Callander depute-clerk of ſeſſion, and William Anderſon clerk to the ſignet.

Adam Paterſon, overſeer upon the eſtate at Dunfermline, will ſhow the premiſſes in Fifeſhire; and Alexander Marr, gardener on the ſouth ſide of Leith Links, thoſe at the Hermitage.

CASTLESTEWARD ESTATE.

TO BE SOLD,

BY public roup or auction, within the Exchange Coffeehouſe, Edinburgh, on Tueſday the 18th day of February 1783, at five o'clock afternoon,

LOT I.—The Lands and Barony of RAVENSTOUN, now called CASTLESTEWART, and the Eight Merk Land of DAVALTOUN, lying in the pariſhes of Glaſſerton and Sorby, and county of Wigton, conſiſting of 2648 acres or thereby, and paying 1047 l. Sterling of yearly rent, which riſes, during the currency of the preſent leaſes, to above 1060 l. To be expoſed to ſale, for the encouragement of purchaſers, at 27,000 l. Sterling.

On this eſtate, which is all ſubſtantially incloſed and ſubdivided, there is a large commodious modern manſion-houſe, with ſuitable offices, all in good repair; alſo fine gardens, and an extenſive policy, laid out in the beſt taſte, with a great deal of young planting, very thriving.

This eſtate is capable of great improvement, having plenty of marle upon it. About 500 acres lying round the manſion-houſe are preſently out of leaſe. The eſtate holds of the Crown, and affords no leſs than eight clear qualifications (on the old extent) for electing a member in parliament, and the tithes are valued.

LOT II.—The Land and Barony of DUCHRAE, lying in the pariſh of Balmaghie and ſtewartry of Kirkcudbright, conſiſting of 2430 acres or thereby, and paying 46 l. of yearly rent. To be expoſed to ſale at 10,200 l. Sterl. or in the following lots, at the prices after mentioned, viz.

Lot 1. The Mains of Duchrae, and the Lands of Ulliok and Meikle and Little Craigs, about 73 acres, as preſently poſſeſſed by Samuel and David M'Clellans, at 13 l. 2 s. Sterling. To be expoſed at 320 l. Sterling.

Lot 2. Drumglaſs, Teneroch, and Meikle and Little Duchraes, about 884 acres, as preſently poſſeſſed by James M'Conechy at 145 l. Sterling. To be expoſed at 3900 l. Sterling.

Lot 3. Urioch, Clonie, and Mill of Duchrae, about 637 acres, as preſently poſſeſſed by Andrew M'Mein at 108 l. 19 s. 2½ d. To be expoſed at 2600 l. Sterling.

And laſtly, Drumbreck, about 137 acres, as preſently poſſeſſed by William M'Kenzie at 20 l. 9 s. 10 d. To be expoſed at 500 l. Sterling.

The barony of Duchrae holds of the Crown, and ſtands rated in the ceſs-books at 925 l. 6 s. 8 d. Scots. It lies on the river Dee, by which, and a canal from the loch o Carlingwork, marle of the beſt quality for improving the grounds is eaſily got at a cheap rate.

There is a wood on this eſtate, which, at laſt cutting in 1768, ſold for 400 l. Sterling; and there is alſo another wood, preſently fit for cutting, worth about 100 l.

The tenants pay all the pulic and pariſh burdens over and above the rents. The tithes are valued, and the purchaſer will have a right to them.

LOT III.—A HOUSE and GARDEN in the Town of Wigton, as preſently poſſeſſed by Mrs Iſabel Stewart, at the rent of 5 l. Sterling.

LOT IV.—A HOUSE in the Town of Whithorn, as preſently poſſeſſed by Mrs Muir, at the rent of 15 s. Sterling.

The title deeds, rentals, current leaſes, plans of the eſtates, and conditions of ſale, are to be ſeen in the hands of John Hunter writer to the ſignet; to whom, or to Alexander Farquharſon accountant in Edinburgh (who has power to conclude a private bargain), perſons inclining to purchaſe may apply; and Sir Samuel M'Caul at Corſby, near Newtonſtewart, will ſhow the land.

Lands in the Shires of Roxburgh & Berwick

TO SELL.

TO be Sold, the Lands and Eſtate of GREENKNOW, and Town and Lands of WEST GORDON, and Mill thereof, lying in the pariſh of Gordon and ſhire of Berwick.

The eſtate conſiſts of upwards of 2300 acres, of a good ſoil, and capable of great improvement, and is conveniently ſituated within a few miles of the towns of Keſſo, Lauder, Melroſe, and Greenlaw.

The preſent rental of the eſtate, after deduction of miniſter's ſtipend and ſchoolmaſter's ſalary, amounting together to 41. 7 s. 5 d. is 440 l. 5 s. 11 d. Part of the lands hold of the Crown, and part hold blench of the Duke of Gordon.

Alſo theſe Lands of MAXTON, poſſeſſed by —— —— and ——, tenants thereof, lying within the pariſh of Maxton and ſhire of Roxburgh. The lands conſiſt of 280 acres or thereby, whereof about 196 were infield before the diviſion of the town and territory of Maxton. They lie near the turnpike road betwixt Melroſe and Jedburgh, are of good quality, and may be much improved.

For particulars apply to Archibald Gibſon writer to the ſignet, who will ſhow the rentals and title-deeds.

LANDS TO BE SOLD by Private Bargain,

In the county of Berwick, and Pariſh of Coldingham,

And entered to at Whitſunday 1783.

THE Lands and Eſtate of MOORHALL, formerly part of the lands of Hillend, containing 164 acres and a half, Engliſh meaſure, all incloſed and ſubdivided with ditch and hedge. The lands are in the poſſeſſion of John Conſtable the proprietor, all improved, pleaſantly ſituated, and command a fine proſpect of the country. They lie juſt upon the poſt road, within two miles of Coldingham, nine miles of Berwick upon Tweed, and three miles of Eyemouth, where plenty of lime is to be had at a reaſonable price. There is a very neat manſion-houſe on the eſtate, with an complete ſet of offices. The lands hold of Mr Home of Wedderburne, and pay an yearly feu-duty of 7 d. Sterling.

For particulars apply to the proprietor, attorney in Berwick, or to Thomas Johnſon of Templehall, one of Mr Conſtable's truſtees, alſo has power to conclude a bargain; and the title-deeds of the lands may be ſeen in the hands of Adam Watſon writer in Dunſe.

SALE of LANDS in Roxburgh Shire.

TO be SOLD, by public roup, within the Britiſh Coffeehouſe, Edinburgh, on Wedneſday the 22d day of January curt. betwixt the hours of five and ſix o'clock afternoon:

The Lands of LANGSIDE, lying in the pariſh of Boudon, and county of Roxburgh.

Theſe Lands are wholly arable, lye contiguous, and are all incloſed with ſtone dykes. There is a convenient and ſuitable ſteading of houſes, and ſome valuable aſh and elm trees upon the premiſſes.—For encouragement of purchaſers, the upſet price will be L. 930.

For further particulars apply to Mr Lud. Grant, accomptant in Edinburgh, truſtee for Mr Jamieſon's creditors, or to John Tawſe, writer in Edinburgh.

PRICES FURTHER REDUCED.

Judicial Sale adjourned to Wedneſday the 22d January 1783.

BY authority of the Court of Seſſion, there are to be expoſed to SALE by way of public roup, within the Parliament or New Seſſion Houſe of Edinburgh, upon Wedneſday the 22d day of January 1783, betwixt the hours of three and five afternoon, before the Lord Ordinary on the bills,

The FOLLOWING SUBJECTS, which belonged to WILLIAM TAYLOR, late Writer in Edinburgh,

LOT I.

The TOWN and LANDS of SOUTHFODD, *alias* SOUTHFIELD, and whole pertinents thereof, lying within the pariſh and regality of Dunfermline, and ſheriffdom of Fife.

Theſe Lands hold of the Crown. The free yearly rent of the ſtock, after all deductions, is proven to be L. 252 5 5 6-12ths.

Excluſive of the lime-quarry, which is proven to be worth of yearly rent, 10 0 0

And the proven free teind of theſe lands is 2 5 6 1-12th.

Proven free rent of ſtock and teind, L. 264 10 11 7-12ths.

The SUPERIORITY of the KIRKLANDS of COUPAR, and others, lying within the pariſh of Coupar, and ſhire of Fife, holding blench of the Crown. The annual feu-duty payable out of theſe lands to the ſuperior is two-pence Sterling yearly, the double thereof at the entry of each heir, and 20 l. Sterling at the entry of each ſingular ſucceſſor. The valued rent is 264 l. Scots.

The lands of Southfodd, along with the above Superiority, make up a qualification to vote for a member of Parliament in the county of Fife, and are now to be expoſed to ſale in one lot at the reduced price of 5700 l. Sterling.

LOT II.

The Lands of ETTRICKHOUSE or ETTRICKHALL, with the teinds and whole pertinents, lying within the pariſh of Ettrick and ſheriffdom of Selkirk, holding of the Crown.

The proven free yearly rent of theſe lands, ſtock and teind, is 136 l. 15 s. 6 d. 10 12ths Sterling; they afford a qualification to vote for a member of Parliament in Selkirkſhire; and are now to be ſet up at the reduced price of 1900 l. ſterling.

LOT III.

THAT INCLOSURE conſiſting of fifteen acres, and ſix falls of ground in the fields of Inverеſk, commonly called the Weſter Fore-Brae, with the teind-ſheaves and pertinents of the ſame, lying within the pariſh of Inverеſk, and ſheriffdom of Edinburgh, holding feu of the Duke of Buccleugh, for payment of 2 l. 4 s. Scots of feu-duty. The proven free rent of which lands, ſtock and teind, is 30 l. 17 s. 7 d. 3-12ths Sterling; and the ſame is now to be expoſed to ſale at the reduced price of 650 l. Sterling.

The articles of roup, &c. will be ſeen in the hands of Mr Alexander Roſs depute clerk of Seſſion.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC ROUP,

Within John's Coffeehouſe in Edinburgh, on Friday the 31ſt of January current, betwixt the hours of five and ſix afternoon,

THE LANDS and ESTATE of BARMAGACHEN, comprehending the ten-merk land of Barmagachen and Black-merk, the three-merk land of Drumjoan, the Kirk-lands of Kirkanders, and Gatefide Croft, lying within the pariſh of Borgue, and ſtewartry of Kirkcudbright.

Theſe Lands hold of the Crown, and are valued at 320 l. Scots, but entitle the proprietor to a freehold qualification upon the old extent. They contain about 500 Scots acres of exceeding fine land, a great deal of which is improved by ſhell and marle, of which there are great quantities in the eſtate ready drained. The eſtate lies compact, and is incloſed and ſubdivided with ſufficient ſtone dykes, and has good ſets of farm-houſes on every part of it. There is a good manſion-houſe, lately repaired and finiſhed in a genteel manner, conſiſting of ſix rooms, kitchen, cellar, milk-houſe, &c. with good offices of all kinds, and an exceeding good garden, containing a large aſſortment of fruit-trees. There is alſo a good deal of wood, both natural and planted, about the manſion-houſe, which ſtands in a moſt delightful ſituation, about a mile from and in view of the ſea, and within three miles of the great military road leading from Carliſle to Portpatrick.

The preſent rent of the eſtate is upwards of 250 l. Sterling; the tacks of the greateſt part of it expire at Whitſunday 1785, and, as the rents are low, an advance will be got. A conſiderable part of the price will be allowed to lie in the purchaſer's hands. The teinds are valued, and the title-deeds perfectly clear.

For further information apply to Walter Paterſon of Dunjop, or to John Tait, jun. writer to the ſignet, Hanover Street, Edinburgh, either of whom have power to conclude a private bargain. The proprietor will ſhow the lands.

N. B. As the proprietor is fully determined immediately to ſell his whole eſtate, for the ſatisfaction of his creditors, he hopes none of them will now proceed to unneceſſary diligence, which may diſtreſs him, but cannot ſerve them.

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